THE NORTH COUNTRY GAZETTE

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Sept. 11, 2007

Jeff S. Jordan Supervisory Attorney Federal Election Commission 999 E Street NW Washington, DC 20463

RE: MUR 5936

TerriPAC---C00417576

Dear Mr. Jordan:

I am filing additional information in reference to the above captioned matter.

In an amended statement of organization with the FEC on July 15, 2006, signed and filed July 15, 2006, by TerriPAC treasurer Brian Schlavo, affirming that the statements were true, it was stated that contributions had been made to five federal candidates as of that date, including Angle Paccione on July 12, 2006. However, a review of the all of the reports filed by Schlavo, and in particular the October quarterly report for the period 7/1/06-9/30/06, and the subsequent amended reports shows no disbursement made to Paccione.

Although the FEC had requested in December 2006, that Schiavo and TerriPAC clarify its multicandidate status in regard to Colorado Congressional candidate Angle Peccione and to do it before Jan. 2, it appears that Brian Schiavo as treasurer failed to do so as I found no such response listed. http://guery.nictusa.com/cgl-bin/dcdev/forms/

An amended report filed for the October quarterly period shows contributions to six federal candidates but none to Paccione. The information which had been requested by the FEC is not shown on the amended reports for the October 2006 quarter.

Although an amended pre-general report was filed, purportedly on Jan. 2, 2007, that report also continues to show numerous errors in the disclosure of campaign finances. On information and belief, Brian Schlavo has filed false reports with the

In addition to previous documentation I have provided you, it appears that TerriPAC may have intentionally understated or misrepresented the amount of receipts as their disbursements since inception (\$82,113.10) are more than their stated receipts (\$72,832.08) and the treasurer and registered agent of the Florida TerriPAC, Derek Newton, is the prime recipient of the disbursements from the federal TerriPAC by payments of \$39,987.84 to his November Group and another \$4,280.21 to On-Time Fundralsers of which he is listed at www.sunbiz.org as being the yice president/director.



In May, 2006, in a published statement, the chairman of TerriPAC, Michael Schlavo, sent out an email stating In May, Schlavo sent out an email claiming that his political action committee had received "tens of thousands of dollars from supporters literally from all across America and we've given thousands of dollars to progressive candidates".

http://www.northcountrygazette.org/articlee/053108PACPlee.html

According to the reports filed with FEC by TerriPAC, from April 1 through June 30, 2006, Schlavo and Newton could count individual contributors to TerriPAC on one hand, three from Florida and two from California, with individual contributions totaling \$1,800, hardly the "tens of thousands" that Schlavo had proclaimed. Overall, during 2006, TerriPAC until that date, TerriPAC reported receiving only \$7,204 in individual contributions, significantly below the "tens of thousands" that Schlavo had claimed.

http://images.nictuse.com/cgi-bin/fecimg/?C00417576

For the second quarter, Brien Schlavo, PAC treasurer, listed \$1,831.12 in uniternized contributions and the Jim Stork for Congress committee of Fort Lauderdale, now defunct, was listed as contributing \$2,500 to TerriPAC for total second quarter receipts of \$6,131. Total receipts for TerriPAC for 2006 at that time were listed at \$14,255.33. http://www.northcountrygazette.org:80/articles/071906BigFizzle.html

This continues to raise questions about the accuracy of the reports filed by Brian Schlavo for TerriPAC.

In the FEC report for TerriPAC for the first quarter of 2006, there are disbursements shown paid to Danielle Black at , Miami, Fla. On Information and belief, this is the same address as Derek Newton and Ms. Black, on information and belief, is Mr. Newton's girifriend. Both Mr. Newton and Michael Schlavo have used this same address when registering TerriPAC with the Florida Division of Elections. According to Information filed with the Florida Division of Elections. Ms. Black was employed as a staff member for the Jim Davis for Governor campaign in Florida, using the same condo number. In the filing with the FEC, it is stated that the expenses paid to her were not in conjunction with any candidate as in the space for Candidate, it is stated N/A. However, on information and belief, she was employed by the Davis Campaian. It appears that the monies paid to her from the federal TerriPAC were reimbursements for her travel expense and office work in conjunction with the Davis campaign. As such, they were at the least in-kind contributions and should have been reported as such to the Davis campaign in the filings with the Florida Division of Elections for the Florida TerriPAC and would have exceeded the limits allowed pursuant to Florida Statutes of \$500 per election per candidata. In fact, on the same page on which two disbursements are shown made to Danielle Black, the federal TerriPAC also shows a disbursement of \$500 to the Florida campaign for Davis.

On information and belief, Derek Newton and his girlfriend Danielle Black used TerriPAC for their own personal political purposes to the financial benefit of Derek Newton. According to the reports filed with FEC, there is no documentation to show the purposes of the "consulting fass" paid to Newton, what type of "fundraisers" were conducted, substantiation that the travel expenses were for the purposes of TerriPAC and were not candidate specific.

This information, from reports filed with the Florida Division of Elections, indicates that Danielle was a staff member of the Davis campaign at the time she received disbursements from the federal TerriPAC.

Candidate/Committee Amount Payee Name City State Eip	Date Address Purpose Type
	03/04/3005
Davis, Jim (DEM)(GOV) 104.7% BLACK, DANIELLE	09/08/2005
MIAMI, FL 33132	TRAVEL
MIAMI, PE 33132	IMIEN
Florida Democratic Party (PTY)	10/05/2005
95.00 BLACK, DANIELLE M.	C/O FLORIDA DEMOCRATIC
PARTY P.O. BOX 1 TALLAHASSEE, FL 32302	STAFF DAVIS
GOV MON	
Davis, Jim (DEM)(GOV)	10/12/2005
190.00 BLACK, DANIELLE	
MIAMI, FL 33132	RF. IMBURSEMEN
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Davis, Jim (DEM) (GOV)	10/12/2005
73.29 BLACK, DANIELLE	
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	11/23/3305
Davis, Jim (DEM)(GOV) 238.25 BLACK, DANIELLE	11/29/2005
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Davis, Jim (DEM)(GOV)	02/27/2006
135.98 BLACK, DANIELLE	02/21/2000
MIAMI, FL 33132	TRAVEL
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Davis, Jim (DEM)(GOV)	08/22/2006
90.81 BLACK, DANIELLE	
MIAMI, FL 33132	TRAVEL
NON	
Davis, Jim (DEM) (GOV)	10/21/2006
92.22 BLACK, DANIELLE	
MIAMI, FL 33132	TRAVEL
CCP	
Davis, Jim (DEM)(GOV)	11/03/2006
280.87 BLACK, DANIELLE	
MIAMI, FL 33132 EXPENSES CCP	TRAVEL
EXPENSES CCP Davis, Jim (DEM)(GOV)	11/12/2226
5,250.00 BLACK, DANIELLE	11/17/2006
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Total:

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TerriPAC Florida (PC)

Statue: Active Address: Box 348322 Coral Gables, FL 33234 **Committee Type:** Political Committee (PAC) Chairman: Michael Schlevo -Derek Newton's Condo m. FL 33132 m. FL 33132 Registered Agent:
Derek Newton ml. FL 33132 Mailing Address: Box 348281 Coral Gables, FL 33234 Purpose: Affiliations:

in Miami—the address used by Michael Schiavo, Derek Newton and Danielle Black is a residential condo and allegedly the residence of Newton and Black.

These are the property details on the condo Newton and his girlfriend lived in (or still live in). GARY JIMENEZ is shown as the owner of the condo. The market value is \$378,000